### THE WAR DAY BY DAY

Fifty Years Ago.

December 12, 1863-A Federal Force Sent Out by Gen. Benjamin F. Butler from Norfolk Occupied Elizabeth City, Carrying Fire and Sword Into a Section Occupied by Confederate Home Guards.

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(Written expressly for The Herald.)

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EDWARD A. WILD, WHO COMMANDED THE PEDERAL EXPEDITION TO ELIZABETH CITY, AND SCEN

(Photograph from Massachusetts Loyal Legion collection. Map based on the official records.)

Guerrillas Termed Firates.

Gen. Butler's expedition had set out
from Nerfolk on December 5, one column
proceeding on steamers through the Dismal Swamp Canal and another by land.
The total force numbered about 2,000 men.
Arriving at Elizabeth City December 12.
Gen. Wife sent out expeditions in all
directions under orders to bring in reerruits for the negro regiments, contrabands' families, forage, and fire wood,
and to capture as many guerrillas as
possible.

The stern character of the expedition

Gen. Wild contartied his orders in embracing a severe and escribing campaign signification of the severe and escribing campaign significant propriety of the severe contact in this spirit is indicated by his official report. When he needed timber to build a bridge over the Pasquiotank tilver at south shill he secured it by pulling down toom he will be severe the severe contact to the severe

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it for-oh, a mere trifle of a few hundred thousand dollars.

And then, suddeally, something extraordinary happened. A hother firm, wiser in this generation of Spiegelbergs, offered to reverse the usual procedure and to pay the city for the privilege-the privilege's of getting the contract—and the garbage. Immediately there was immone excitement, among those citizens who hadn't heard of a little woman whose sense of smell and sense of ecconomy had been too long offended.

They patted the sirect cleaning commissioner on the back and told blim that the taxinarers would bless him forever. There were no becquete in particular for Mrs. Flora, but what of that! She was looking after a matter of more important perfumes herself.

Weuldn't Be Surprised.

"The guerrilian pentered us," reported Gen, Wild. "They crept upon our pickets at night, waylaid our expeditions and our cavarry seouts, firing upon us whenever they could. But in marching our fiankers generally drove them. We ambuseaded them twice without success, Pursuit was useless.

"Col. John H. Holman burned two of their camps between Ethabeth and Hertord, taking some of their property, such as guns, horses, provisions and clothing, catching some of their protecty, such as guns, horses, provisions and clothing, catching some of their protecty, such as guns, horses, provisions and clothing, one of their number—Daniel Hright of Pasquoisnik County, whom I hanged, duly placarding him thus: "This guerrilla hanged by order of Brig Gen, Wild."

The unfortunate Bright was hanged to the beam of a house, from which his body remained suspended forty hours. It was claimed by the Confederates that he was a regular soldder, a member of Company L. Bitty-second Georgia net. Wendan't Be Surprised.

Mrs. Spiegelberg says that New Tork's
surbage amounts to 1,000,000 tons a year,
and that these tons of garbage could be
converted into electricity enough to run
all the subways, and the elevated and
atreet railways. Maybe, in the ears of
the reluctant city officials, this sounds
too good to be true. Maybe there are
'rake-offs' and private profit-sharing arrangements which make some of the politiclans slow to see this particular error
of their municipal ways. Mrs. Spiegelberg wouldn't be surprised.

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PRACTICAL PARTY SLIPPERS.

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Preparation. WHO'S WHO AMONG
AMERICAN WOMEN

Mrs. Spiegelberg's Hobby Is Showing
Officials Errer of Their
Garbage Ways.

By Mary 8, MULLETT.

Mrs. Plora Spiegelberg's Bobby is garbage. Some people with a hobby devote themselves to making collections. Mrs. Spiegelberg doesn't. She leaves the agreet cleaning department of New York City perfectly free to jusgit the hundreds of thousands of garbage cans in which metropolitan scrape are deposited.

Bot what she does want fo do, what she has been trying hard for several years to accomplish, is to slews the city officials the expensiveness of the street cleaning department costing the cythere of their garbage ways.

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Three hundred men and Es horses minimand, took part in the new Kaiem two-part story of the early West. The Big Horn Massacre." This apectacular feature is power searchlights on some of their ai more than an ordinary motion picture, slips to illuminate the enemy's camp.

U. S. SAILORS STRANDED ON BLEAK PACIFIC ISLE

of Abandoned Ship Praying fo Relief-Government Vessels Asked to Aid.

was told by Capt. N. P. Preston, with two of his core, made a haz passage in the ships host from I lesland to Tabill, 2500 miles distant. I he trio was sent back to the I states on board the steambhy Mos Easter Island is famed as the sur ing place of seal herds and for it posits of grano. It is out of the b track of ocean travel, only one is a year making the return trip to mainland.

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